

Moose Valley

State Park Public Use Cabin
Kachemak Bay State Park

The Moose Valley public use cabin is a small one-room cabin, located just off the Moose Valley Loop trail and along a small stream. It is approximately 2.4 miles from the Halibut Cove Lagoon Ranger Station. This trail leaves the China Poot Lake trail about 1.2 miles from the station and 'loops' through Moose Valley and up to the South side of Poot Peak. From Poot Peak one can go access the South Spur trail to China Poot Lake (Leisure Lake) or the Wosnesenski River Trail. (see trail map)

The Moose Valley cabin has two small bunks and a small wood stove. It was constructed from local material by some local homesteaders in 1954/55 as a hunting and trappers cabin. For many years it was left unattended and was beginning to deteriorate. In 1996 the cabin was repaired, adding new sill logs, a new floor (the old floor was dirt) repairs to the roof and small porch. It is only 12 feet by 12 feet with one small window and small 'trapper' style door. It is a piece of the early history prior to the park being established. It is small but cozy, suitable for two people.

Water can be taken from the stream, just off the front porch, but boil, filter or treat before drinking. A small outhouse is nearby. The cabin is suitable for use later in the season as this trail is not normally cleared until mid to late June.

